



One Hundred First Legislature - First Session - 2009  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 354**

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**Chairperson:** Brad Ashford  
**Committee:** Judiciary  
**Date of Hearing:** February 26, 2009

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

The bill amends the Administrative Procedure Act to allow a cross-appeal within thirty days after being served with a summons and petition for review. The current statute is not clear as to the right to and timing of a cross-appeal. The Supreme Court has ruled that under this current law a cross-appeal must be filed within thirty days after service of the administrative decision, regardless of when the petition for review was filed by the other party

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Senator Scott Lautenbaugh**